

2012 Central Valley Flood Protection Plan Draft Program Environmental Impact Report



PUBLIC SAFETY

ENVIRONMENTAL STEWARDSHIP

ECONOMIC STABILITY

Proposed Program (SSIA)

- Physical elements
 - **Regional Improvements**
 - Urban
 - Small Community
 - Rural-Agricultural
 - **System Improvements**
- Ecosystem restoration opportunities integrated
- Policies, guidance, and implementation strategies



Alternatives Considered

- State Systemwide Investment Approach Alternative
- No-Project Alternative—Continued Operations Scenario
- No-Project Alternative—No Additional Activities Scenario
- Modified State Systemwide Investment Approach
- Achieve SPFC Design Flow Capacities Alternative
- Achieve SPFC Design Flow Capacities with Strict ETL Compliance Alternative
- Protect High-Risk Communities Alternative
- Enhance Flood System Capacity Alternative

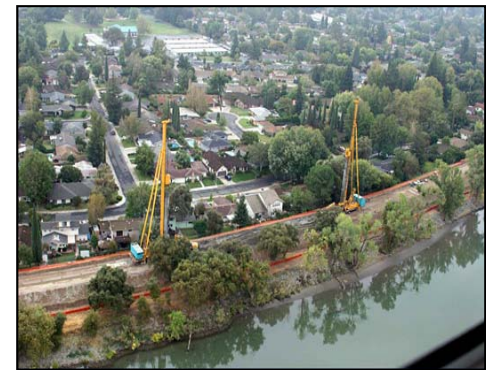
Categories and Impacts

- 20 Resource Categories
 - Degrees of Impacts Remaining after Mitigation
 - Less than Significant
 - Potentially Significant and Unavoidable
 - Significant and Unavoidable
 - Beneficial Effects

Categories with Potentially Significant or Significant Impacts

Resource Categories with Impacts that could be potentially significant or significant and unavoidable after mitigation

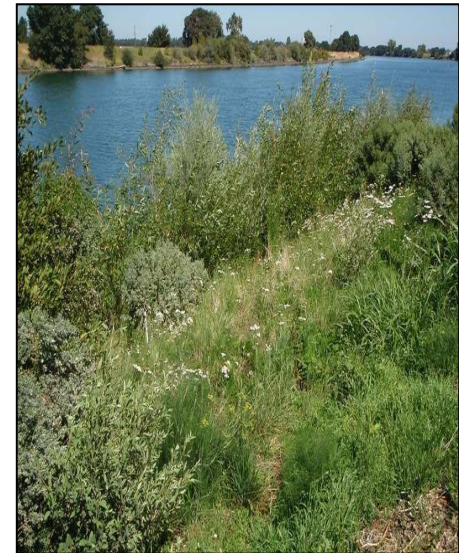
- Agricultural and Forestry Resources
- Air Quality
- Biological Resources – Aquatic, and Terrestrial
- Cultural Resources,
- Geology, Soils, and Seismicity
- Transportation and Traffic, and
- Land Use and Planning



Beneficial Effects

By reducing flood risk, the proposed program would have a number of beneficial effects on these resource categories:

- Biological Resources – Aquatic
- Biological Resources – Terrestrial
- Hydrology
- Geology, Soils, and Seismicity
- Utilities and Service Systems



Comment Process

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